

continue on August 28, 1996 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at NMFS, 1315 East-West Highway, Building SSMCIII, Room 4527, Silver Spring, MD 20910.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: C. Michael Bailey, telephone: (301) 713-2347, Fax (301-713-0596).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The following topics may be discussed:

(1) 1996 Shark Evaluation Annual Report.

(2) 1996 first semi-annual shark fishing season.

(3) Results of recent management measures.

(4) Possible permit moratorium.

(5) Possible fishing season modifications.

(6) Data collections issues.

(7) Possible changes in management measures of white shark, *Carcharodon carcharias*, and sand tiger shark, *Odontaspis taurus*.

The meeting may be lengthened or shortened based on the progress of the meeting. This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to C. Michael Bailey at (301)-713-2347 at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

Dated: July 15, 1996.

Richard H. Schaefer,
Director, Office of Fisheries Conservation and Management, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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Endangered Species; Permits

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Receipt of an application for modification 5 to scientific research/enhancement permit 848 (P507D).

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife in Olympia, WA (WDFW) have applied in due form for a modification to a permit that authorizes takes of a threatened species for the purpose of scientific research/enhancement.

DATES: Written comments or requests for a public hearing on this application must be received on or before August 19, 1996.

ADDRESSES: The application and related documents are available for review in the following offices, by appointment:

Office of Protected Resources, F/PR8, NMFS, 1315 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, MD 20910-3226 (301-713-1401); and

Environmental and Technical Services Division, 525 NE Oregon Street, Suite 500, Portland, OR 97232-4169 (503-230-5400).

Written comments or requests for a public hearing should be submitted to the Chief, Endangered Species Division, Office of Protected Resources.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: WDFW requests a modification to a permit under the authority of section 10 of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (ESA) (16 U.S.C. 1531-1543) and the NMFS regulations governing ESA-listed fish and wildlife permits (50 CFR parts 217-227).

Permit 848 (P507D) authorizes WDFW takes of adult and juvenile, ESA-listed, Snake River spring/summer chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) from the Tucannon River in Washington for scientific research and hatchery supplementation of the wild stock. On an annual basis, permit 848 also authorizes WDFW to release the progeny of the ESA-listed adult salmon collected for broodstock. For modification 5, WDFW requests an increase in the number of hatchery smolts to be released annually from its supplementation program in the Tucannon River Basin. Also for modification 5, WDFW requests to retain all of the adult, ESA-listed, natural-origin salmon that return to the Tucannon Hatchery adult trap for broodstock if the total annual adult returns to the trap is less than 105 fish. If the total annual adult returns to the trap is greater than or equal to 105 fish, WDFW requests to retain up to 70 percent of the adult, ESA-listed natural-origin salmon that return to the adult trap for broodstock and to release the remaining percentage of ESA-listed adult salmon above the trap for natural spawning. Permit 848 currently authorizes WDFW to collect up to 100 adults or 35 percent of the adult, ESA-listed, natural-origin salmon for broodstock annually, whichever is less.

This year, WDFW would like to collect more of the returning adult fish for broodstock because: 1) The returns of both wild and hatchery fish are lower than expected, and 2) the returning adult fish are exhibiting head injuries and fungus infections which are contributing to a significant prespawning mortality rate. Previous evaluations of WDFW's supplementation program have shown about a four-to-one survival advantage for fish reared in the hatchery as

compared to natural production. Based on this large survival advantage, and the fact that natural production has been at less than replacement levels in recent years, the requested level of adult take, and any subsequent artificially-propagated progeny production of these fish, will serve to perpetuate the ESA-listed species. Modification 5 to permit 848 is requested for the duration of the permit. Permit 848 expires on March 31, 1998.

Those individuals requesting a hearing (see **ADDRESSES**) should set out the specific reasons why a hearing on this application would be appropriate. The holding of such hearing is at the discretion of the Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, NOAA. All statements and opinions contained in this application summary are those of the applicant and do not necessarily reflect the views of NMFS.

Dated: July 15, 1996.

Robert C. Ziobro,

Acting Chief, Endangered Species Division, Office of Protected Resources, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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Patent and Trademark Office

Submission for OMB Review; Correction

In document 96-17449 appearing on page 36025 in the issues of Tuesday, July 9, 1996, make the following correction:

In column 1, in the heading, "Office of the Secretary" should read "Patent and Trademark Office".

Dated: July 15, 1996.

Linda Engelmeier,

Acting Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office of Management and Organization.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: Notice and request for comments regarding a proposed extension of an approved information collection requirement.

SUMMARY: In compliance with Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of Pub. L. 104-13, the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, DoD announces the proposed extension of a public information collection and seeks